

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

REGAL FABRICS, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

CIVIL ACTION
NO. 04-10961-RWZ

KOBA, INC., an Illinois corporation;
IBR CORPORATION, d/b/a Harbortown Division,
an Illinois corporation; and
SHOPKO STORES, INC, a Wisconsin corporation,

Defendants.

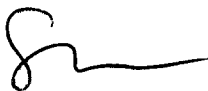
Regal Fabrics, Inc.'s Local Rule 16.1(D)(3) Certificate

The undersigned hereby certify that they have conferred (a) with a view to establishing a budget for the costs of conducting the full course, and various alternative courses, of this litigation and (b) to consider the resolution of the litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in Local Rule 16.4.

Dated September 8, 2004

Regal Fabrics, Inc.

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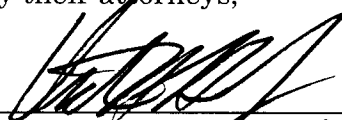


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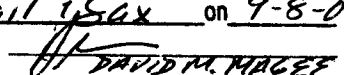
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